

PROCLAMATION ARMED SERVICES VOCATIONAL APTITUDE BATTERY AWARENESS MONTH

OCTOBER 2003

WHEREAS, the Fargo Military Entrance Processing Station has supported the enlistment of men and women into the United States Armed Forces since 1952; and,

WHEREAS, the Fargo Military Entrance Processing Station Student Testing Program has tested over 8,000 students annually providing comprehensive career exploration guidance; and,

WHEREAS, the Student Testing Program has contributed years of providing the tools, resources, and guidance needed by students to decide what career areas parallel their personal interests and attributes; and,

WHEREAS, the students of North Dakota are empowered to invest in their futures and be the primary architect of their careers; and,

WHEREAS, the counselors of the North Dakota education system can guide their students down a path of productivity towards a solid foundation where their interest and skills can be used to their full potential; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, as the Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim October 2003, as **ARMED SERVICES VOCATIONAL APTITUDE BATTERY AWARENESS MONTH** in the state of North Dakota.

/s/ John Hoeven Governor

Attest:

/s/ Alvin A. Jaeger Secretary of State